


MSS 1561

Salem 18 Nov 1805

Capt Robert Emery  
Sir

The Ship Golden Age being under your Com-  
mands and her cargoe committed to your consignments you will  
proceed with all possible dispatch for Bombay, touching if convenient  
at the port of Columbo in the Islands of Ceylon at which places endeavour  
to effect a Sale of your cargoe, if to be done without great loss. I think you  
have such inducements to offer as to remittances to Calcutta as must  
procure you a favourable Market guiding yourself by the Memoran-  
dum of prices here which you have subjoined to these Orders -- Should you  
be able to effect a complete loading on advantageous terms at those places  
without its taking up your entire stock it may be well to dispatch your  
Ship for Salem by the Mate with Mr Prince, & take passage with the  
residue of Capital for Calcutta & thence freight it home or you may  
leave Mr Prince for this purpose (using your direction) & return yourself  
in the Ship. If you conclude that an entire return cannot be made  
to advantage at those Ports you will collect what you can towards  
a returning cargoe & proceed for Calcutta, touching if you judge it  
necessary on your return down the Coast at Columbo, Tranquebar &  
Madras to dispose of your outward cargoe or collect your returns.  
Should you proceed for Calcutta you will reserve a space in the Ship  
for the investment of your residue Stock in Indigo or Bale Goods &  
should you be at Calcutta without having collected any returns  
you will then consider from the prices quoted both there & here if  
raw Cotton & ginger are not preferable as heavy or bulky articles  
to Sugar & whether your most valuable returns can be made to



most advantage in Bale Goods or Indigo forming your judgement  
as to the Goods by the Quantities that may have been shipped since  
the last Arrivals here. The Indigo you may consider as steady at \$1.50  
to \$1.75 first & second quality. It may happen at Ceylon or Bombay  
a Private Ship & Cargo may be bought to Advantage, if so you will  
exercise your best discretion. You may also find it evidently for  
my interest for the Ship to proceed for Mocha for Coffee, or with a small  
stock to Maculla for Drugs & Gums. You are by no means to visit  
any French or Dutch Ports during the Voyage as you will be insured  
to their exclusion with the liberty of Trading at English or Native  
Ports. Your Commission will be four per cent on the net returns  
withen arising from passage money or otherwise. You have also a  
privilege of five per cent on what the Ship carries no more & Mr  
Prince your assistant will receive for his services three hundred &  
fifty Dollars to be paid him in India. Signal for the Ship  
White Flag & Pendant over it at the main & fore Mast made  
up in the bunt thus . You will do your business at Bombay  
with my Old friends Rasseerangy Monaggy should you go there, but  
you may find it best to proceed from Columbo direct to the Cor-  
omandel coast & Calcutta remembering there is an advantage in  
sailing from the Coast as well as from Bombay. be careful  
to violate no Acts of Trade conform yourself strictly to the Laws  
of Nations & endeavour to be here in ten months if possible.  
In case of your Death Mr Henry Prince will take charge of the  
business & the direction of the Voyage & Mr Kimball will navigate



the Ship Your insurance is effected to English & Native ports one  
or more times for the purpose of selling your outwards & buying  
a return cargo at 10 per cent. Wishing you a prosperous Voyage  
& a happy return I commit to the care of the Almighty & am Your  
friend & employer. Sign<sup>d</sup> Elias Hasket Derby

P.S. Attends to returning Certificates of your outward cargo  
& if you need an English House in Calcutta apply to Mess<sup>rs</sup> Farley & Co

### Prices of Goods free of Duty

Indigo	1.50 a 1.75	first Quality	10 cents more to Mr D.
Coffe	..25 a ..26	"	Mocha
Cotton	..18	"	Bengalls or Surat
Salt Petre	..18 a ..20	rough	
Ginger	..12 a ..15	if no quantity has been Shipped Mr Gaskes 20	
Sugar	9	Bengalls	
Wax	..40 a ..42	Certain	
Bales & Goods	90	Long Piece of Rupsu may Rise if no large quantity is coming	
Teas Hankins	} price current		
Gum Arabac	..20		
Do Do	..30	White Pick or turkey	
Galls Nul	..30	Dark & heavy	
Sena	..50	will do in tight Cask on Deck	
Copal	..25		
Myrrh	..25		
Leather	Astrich 1.	if Large & Manufactured	
Loory	If Large 1.	for Ex	

A Small Bale of fine long Shawls  
principally white with handsome Borders  
does cost 80 to 100 Rupees. worth for  
ex<sup>a</sup> 75 a 100 per cent.

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(Memo)

Forward me detailed price currents from the places you visit & make enquiries that may be useful to other voyages particularly as to Pegu, what will do there & if wax & saltpetre can be had: enquire also concerning the Eastern voyages from Calcutta where they dispose of such large quantities of Opium as it may be had from Longorn & Bring me a receipt making Gullgull"

Bills on London sold at Calcutta by Cap<sup>t</sup> Phillips in Ship Recovery in 1800 a 6 M<sup>o</sup> Light

2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub> Sterling pr Sica Rupee	= equal	0-55
Exchange 209 Rupees pr \$100		48

305 Bales of Piece Goods	Cost	133,636 Sica Rs
73 bags Ginger		312



# Disbursements of Ship Golden Age at Bombay

To $\text{p}^{\text{d}}$ Ballast Bill $\text{Rs}$ 129.30	Marine Bill 27.2.60	156	2.40
" " Pilotage in & Out $\text{Rs}$ 125	Cooly hire 24.3.80	149	3.80
" " Rent of Sundry furniture		48	1.12
" " House Expenses as $\text{p}^{\text{d}}$ Acct		201	2.46
" " Sundry Sea Stores as $\text{p}^{\text{d}}$ Bills		62	1.48
" " Advertising Cargo		10	"
" " Cooly hire for Bils Returned on Boards		12	1.40
" " Boat hire Sundry times		20	"
" " Tavern Bill 8-1	Bill for Water 12	20	1
" " Palanquin & Bearers		51	2
" " Recovering Longboat		9	1.70
" " Old Rope for Caking		8	1
" " Seamen		400	
" " Parasol Boys 20	1 Chest Tea (65 $\text{th}$ ) 7	27	
" " Fresh Meat & Greens 3.2	Boat hire 3	6	2
" " House Rent		40	
" " 1 Dubash for Services 150	2 D $^{\text{o}}$ . 75	225	
" " Boatmens Assistance Beating Out		5	
Ruppes		1453	2.86

with Robert Emery

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By Amot Sales of Cargo as  $\text{p}^{\text{d}}$  Acct. Ruppes 34.889 1.24

# Account of Sales of Palled Oil

170 Boxes contg 170 Doz @ $5\frac{1}{2}$ R <sup>d</sup> /Doz	871	4
14 Ditto " 13 D <sup>ts</sup> @ $4\frac{1}{2}$ R <sup>d</sup> /Doz	54	10.8
11 Ditto " 11 D <sup>ts</sup> Sold at Auction @ $4\frac{1}{2}$ R <sup>d</sup> /Doz	45	3
1 Sold at Bombay	971	1.8
1 given to Masservangie		
N Sample Ullage		
2 Broken		

200

## Charges

195 Doz @ $\$5$ = $\$975$ @ $2\frac{1}{4}$ R <sup>d</sup> /Doz in R <sup>d</sup> 2193.12		
Government Duty on R <sup>d</sup> 2193.12 @ $3\frac{1}{2}$ p <sup>ct</sup> = 76.12.6		
Fixed Duty on 195 Doz @ 1 R <sup>d</sup> /Doz 195.0.0		
Fees on 76.12.6 @ 4 p <sup>ct</sup> = 3.1.3		
D <sup>ts</sup> on 195 @ 5 = 9.12.0		
Cooly hire @ 2 R <sup>d</sup> /Doz 100 = 3.14.9		
Boat hire = 2 =		
	290	8.6
Sicca Rupes	680	9.2



# Account Sales Continued

Purses for Rs

N <sup>o</sup> 121	100	N <sup>o</sup> 131	101	N <sup>o</sup> 141	103	1234
122	117	132	102		1094	1457
123	109	133	99		1055	1428
124	104	134	108		1028	1180
125	100	135	155		1053	1166
126	111	136	158		1048	1251
127	110	137	162		1014	7716
128	157	138	167		988	9480
129	161	139	99		1097	
130	97	140	110		9480	16196 Gall <sup>s</sup> at R <sup>o</sup> 13 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
	<u>1166</u>		<u>1251</u>			22269 2

9 Pipes to fill up

3 Empty

1 left at Salem

1 fillage for Store

Seventeen Hogheads Jamaica Rum

N <sup>o</sup> 1	114	N <sup>o</sup> 11	105	N <sup>o</sup> 17	
2	111	12	120		1 1/2 fill up
3	113	13	121		1 fillage
4	115	14	110		1 left at Salem
5	112	15	116		<u>20</u>
6	101	16	113		
7	120	17	104		
8	115		<u>789</u>		
9	109		1125		
10	115		<u>1914</u>		Gall <sup>s</sup> at R <sup>o</sup> 1 3/4
	<u>1125</u>				3349 2

Thirteen Hundred & ninety six Bars Old

Sable Iron N<sup>o</sup> 40-10-2-23 in Sarat Landys 121-12-4 1/2

11,218 2 4

Nine Cask Florence Wine

N <sup>o</sup> 1	48		
2	48		
3	44		
4	47		
5	47		
6	45		
7	44		
8	47		
9	47	417 Gall <sup>s</sup> at R <sup>o</sup> 1	
1	To fill up		
		Carried Over	
			Purses 37284 2 4

# Accounts Sales Continued

		Ruppes
	Amo <sup>t</sup> bat Even	37.284 2.4
9 bbl <sup>s</sup> Salmon	50 . . . . . 450	
1 Do Do	55 . . . . . 55	505
10		
1 Box Oil	18	
1 ham 8 lb. a 1/4	12	30
	Ruppes	37.819 2.4

## Charges

To Paid Cooly hire - Hoisting at the pier	300.1.50	
" Boat hire Landing Cargo	82.2	
" For watching Brandy	25	
" Cookerage filling up &c	4	
" Duties at Customhouse	1213.1.67	
" Interest on 37.284.2.4 for 2 Months		
at 3/4 pr Cr pr month	559.1.7	
" Commission on Ditto a 2 pr Cents	745.2.76	2.930 ~ 80
	Ruppes	34.889 1.24

D<sup>r</sup>

## Ship Golden Age in Account Current

To Amount of Disbursements	11153 2.86
" 15.129 1/100 Spanish Dollars a Rs 221 pr 100 Rs	33435 2.38
	Ruppes 34.889 1.24



Months & Numbers	No Bales	Quality of Goods	Dimensions	No. of Pieces in Each Bale	Whole No. of Pieces	Price	Per Cwt	Amo <sup>t</sup> S <sup>r</sup> Rep <sup>d</sup>	Ob- p
EHD									
12. 20	9	Beerboom Currahs	35 36 2 1/4	80	720	74		2.664	
116. 122	7		" " "	80	560	75		2.100	
123. 124	2		" " "	80	160				
125. 127	3		" " "	75	225	71/8		1.376	6
128	1		34 36 2 3/4 2 1/4	90	90	68		306	
137. 147	11		35 37 2 1/4 2 3/8	80	880	76/8		3.366	
149. 162	14		35 36 2 1/4	80	1.120	76/8		4.284	
163. 166	4		" " "	80	320	75		1.200	
167. 171	5		" " "	80	400				
172	1		" " "	75	75	71/8		1.698	2
173	1		" " "	80	80	72/8		290	
174	1		34 36 2 3/8 2 1/4	80	80	72/12		291	
175	1		34 35 2 3/8 2 1/4	80	80	68		272	
194. 202	9		35 36 2 1/4	80	720	74		2.664	
203	1		34 36 2 3/8 2 1/4	75	75	70/8		264	6
206. 217	12		35 36 2 1/4	80	960				
218. 223	6		" " "	85	510	76/8		5.622	12
228	1		34 36 2 3/8 2 1/4	75	75	72/12		272	13
229. 240	12		35 36 2 1/4	80	960	73/12		3.540	
241	1		" " "	80	80	75		300	
176. 178	3	Adashem Check	15 17 1 1/8 1 3/4	150	450				
179	1		" " " "	140	140	38/12		1.143	2
Amo <sup>t</sup> Carried Forward								S <sup>r</sup> 31.654	9

Amo<sup>t</sup> Carried Forward S<sup>r</sup>R<sup>d</sup> 31.654 9



Invoice Continued

			Amo <sup>t</sup> bro <sup>t</sup>	Forward <sup>s</sup>				
1	1	Brown Checks	16 17 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	150 150	41	31.654	9	
10.11	2		16 18 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	120 240	40	307	8	
148	1		15 16 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	140 140	32	224		
226.227	2		15 16 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	150 300	36	540		
SK 1	1		15 $\frac{1}{2}$ 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	150 150	36 $\frac{1}{8}$	273	12	
" 2	1		15 16 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	150 150	32	240		
21.30	10	Biraley Copsas	39 41 2	100 1000	82 $\frac{1}{8}$	4.125		
80.81	2	Sohammah Ditto	39 41 2 $\frac{1}{8}$ 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	100 200	90	900		
SK 4.5	2		39 40 2 $\frac{1}{8}$ 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	100 200	90	900		
252.255	4	Burpore Ditto	38 40 2 $\frac{1}{8}$ 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	90 360	120 $\frac{1}{8}$	2.816	10	
256	1		" " " "	75 75				
280	1		39 40 2 $\frac{1}{8}$ 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	95 95	180	1.665		
281	1		" " " "	90 90				
271.272	2	Gurrah Ditto	39 40 2 $\frac{1}{8}$	100 200	90	3.892	8	
273.279	7		" " "	95 665				
2.3	2	Compagnys Custas	16 17 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	150 300	42	630		
7.9	3	Murzapore Chints	11 $\frac{1}{2}$ 12 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	200 600	24 8	735		
31.38	8	Aurumghur Marmodies	39 41 2	100 800	82.8	3.300		
39.41	3	Naddersey Ditto	" " "	110 330	82.8	2.660	10	
42.44	3		" " "	105 315				
50.64	15	Mingunge Ditto	38 39 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	100 1500	84.2	6.309	6	
65.66	2		38 39 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	80 160	81.2	649		
105.114	10	Fine Ditto	39 41 2	100 1000	87.8	4.703	2	
115	1		" " "	75 75				
247.251	5	Sollolpore Ditto	40 41 2	85 425	105	2.231	4	
266.268	3		39 40 1 $\frac{1}{8}$ 2	80 240	100	1.200		
269.270	2		40 41 2	80 160	105	840		
4.6	3	Gurrah Sannakes	40 41 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	84 252	97.8	1.228	8	
115.116	3	Sollolpore Ditto	39 41 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	90 180	110	990		
257.262	6		39 40 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	80 480	102.8	2.921	4	
263	1		" " "	90 90				

Amot Carried Forward S<sup>rs</sup> 76.417 1



(Mem<sup>o</sup>)

Calcutta piece Goods suitable for the Boston Market  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  or  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the Am<sup>t</sup> to be invested in Beerboom Gurraks if Gurraks  
should not be much higher than other Cottons compared with the  
usual prices. If Gurraks should be very high the proportion to  
be left

$\frac{1}{4}$ & $\frac{1}{3}$	<u>Gurraks Beerboom</u>	cost 70 to 80	per large Cubits 36 by $2\frac{1}{4}$
$\frac{1}{4}$	<u>Mammodes Copsaks &amp; Lannaks</u>	60 to 80	" 38.40. $1\frac{1}{8}$ & $2\frac{1}{4}$
$\frac{1}{10}$	<u>Now Lannaks</u>	35 & 40	" 22.24. $1\frac{1}{2}$
$\frac{1}{8}$	Low priced Cottons Viz		Manickpore Gurrak

Tookeny, Moharex Gungy &c

The Residue in col<sup>d</sup> Goods Viz Mock Madrap kh<sup>off</sup>  
Blue Gilla kh<sup>st</sup> - Sooty Romal d<sup>o</sup>; Low priced checks  
Small checks & deep colours - Low priced Chentz

Viz 12 by 2 Cubits cost 20 & 25 -- 8 by  $1\frac{1}{2}$  cost 14 & 16

If Wandanoes can be procured at 90 Rupees or less  
they may answer as large a proportion of Yellow  
as possible which are worth much more than the  
other colours Unickpore & Munchipore Gurraks  
paid Mr Grey 130 to 140 per Rupee



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